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Item 2 of the provisional agenda*
Adoption of the agenda and organization of work

Proposed organization of work

Note by the secretariat

The proposed organization of work for the sixteenth session of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues was prepared by the secretariat of the Forum in consultation with members of the Forum.

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Date/time	*Agenda item*	*Programme*
First week		
Monday, 24 April		
11 a.m.-1 p.m.		Opening of the session
	Item 1	Election of officers
	Item 2	Adoption of the agenda and organization of work
3-6 p.m.	Item 8	Discussion on the theme "Tenth anniversary of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples: measures taken to implement the Declaration"
		[Speaker's list]
Tuesday, 25 April		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.		[High-level event of the General Assembly to mark the tenth anniversary of the adoption of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples]
3-6 p.m.	Item 8 (*continued*)	Discussion on the theme "Tenth anniversary of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples: measures taken to implement the Declaration"
		Report of the expert group meeting on the theme "Implementation of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples: the role of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues and other indigenous-specific mechanisms (article 42)"
		[Speaker's list]
Wednesday, 26 April		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 4	Implementation of the six mandated areas of the Permanent Forum with reference to the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples
		[Speaker's list]
3-6 p.m.		Closed meeting for Permanent Forum members
Thursday, 27 April		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 4 (*continued*)	Implementation of the six mandated areas of the Permanent Forum with reference to the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples
		[Speaker's list]

Date/time	*Agenda item*	*Programme*
3-6 p.m.	**Item 3**	Follow-up to the recommendations of the Permanent Forum: (a) Empowerment of indigenous women (b) Indigenous youth [Speaker's list]
Friday, 28 April		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 11	Follow-up to the outcome document of the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples: (a) Implementation of national action plans, strategies or other measures (b) Ways to enhance the participation of indigenous peoples at the United Nations (c) Implementation of the United Nations system-wide action plan on indigenous peoples [Speaker's list]
3-6 p.m.	Item 7	Dialogue with the funds, programmes and specialized agencies of the United Nations system (closed meeting) [Interactive dialogue]
Second week		
Monday, 1 May		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 10	Dialogue with the Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples and the Chair of the Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples with regard to indigenous human rights defenders [Interactive dialogue]
3-6 p.m.	Item 10 (*continued*)	Dialogue with the Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples and the Chair of the Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples with regard to indigenous human rights defenders [Speaker's list]
Tuesday, 2 May		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 5	Dialogue with indigenous peoples (closed meeting) [Interactive dialogue]
3-6 p.m.	Item 6	Dialogue with Member States (closed meeting) [Interactive dialogue]

Date/time	*Agenda item*	*Programme*
Wednesday, 3 May		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.		Closed meeting for Permanent Forum members
3-6 p.m.	Item 4 (*continued*)	Implementation of the six mandated areas of the Permanent Forum with reference to the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples
		[Speaker's list]
Thursday, 4 May		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Item 9	2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development
		[Speaker's list]
3-6 p.m.	Item 12	Future work of the Permanent Forum, including issues considered by the Economic and Social Council and emerging issues
		[Speaker's list]
Friday, 5 May		
10 a.m.-1 p.m.		Closed meeting for Permanent Forum members
3-6 p.m.	Item 13	Provisional agenda for the seventeenth session
	Item 14	Adoption of the report of the Permanent Forum on its sixteenth session
		Closing of the session